

AFZ

Attorney Docket No.: TRNSV-015G

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Makower, et al.)
Application No. 09/912,122)
Filed: July 24, 2001)
For: Catheters and Related Devices for)
Forming Passageways Between Blood)
Vessels or Other Anatomical Structures)

Art Unit: 3738

Examiner: Isabella, David J.

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Transmittal Letter

Dear Sir:

- ☐ In accordance with Rule 136, the Commissioner is hereby petitioned for a __ () month extension of time, extending to __, 2004 the period for response to the Office action dated __, 2004 Check No. _____ for \$0.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Enclosed is a certified copy of Serial No. _____ from which priority is claimed in the subject case pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.55b and 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- ☐ Enclosed is an Assignment of the invention to [Assignee], including a cover sheet and Check No. [Assignment Check No.] for \$40.
- ☐ Enclosed is a Declaration of Inventorship and Limited Power of Attorney is enclosed.
- ☒ Enclosed herewith is a substitute specification which is identical to the originally filed parent application.
- ☒ Enclosed herewith is an amendment/response for filing in relation to the above-identified application. Entry and consideration of this amendment/response is requested.

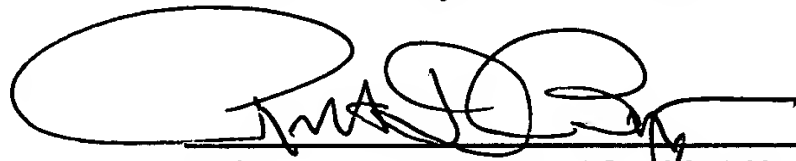
- ☐ Check No. [Check No.] is enclosed covering the additional filing fees in the amount of \$0, with the fees calculated as follows:

For	(Col. 1) No. Filed	(Col. 2) No. extra	Rate	Small entity Fee	Or	Other than a Small entity Rate	Fee
Basic fee				\$150	Or		\$300
Examination fee				\$100	Or		\$200
Search Fee				\$250	Or		\$500
Total claims	9	- 9 = 0	x 25 \$ 0	Or	x 50	\$	
Indep claims	1	- 1 =	0 x 100 \$ 0	Or	x 200	\$	
_ Multiple dependent claims presented			+ 180 \$	Or	+ 360	\$	
			Total \$0	Or	Total	\$	

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment and credit any overpayment of the filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees required under 37 § CFR 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-0878.

Respectfully submitted,
Stout, Uxa, Buyan & Mullins, LLP

Date: May 17, 2005

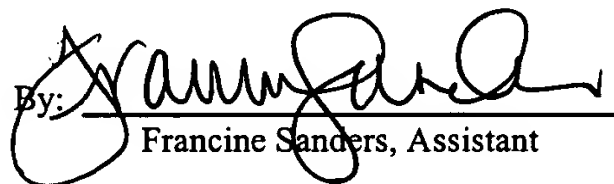

Robert D. Buyan, Reg. No. 32,460

4 Venture, Suite 300
Irvine, CA 92618
Telephone: (949) 450-1750; Facsimile: (949) 450-1764
email: rbuyan@patlawyers.com

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on May 17, 2005.

Dated: May 17, 2005

By: 
Francine Sanders, Assistant



Docket No. TRNSV-015G

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Makower , et al.)
Serial No.: 09/912,122)
Filed: July 24, 2001)
For: Catheters and Related Devices for)
Forming Passageways Between Blood)
Vessels or Other Anatomical Structures)

Art Unit: 3738

Examiner: Isabella, David J.

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 17, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.